

emplified in all the profile drawings I have seen of the Australians; for the face is often but little more salient than in the European, while every other characteristic partakes largely of the Negro.

Meeting for Business, Nov. 25, 1845.

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON in the Chair.

The Society, after receiving reports of committees, and transacting some other business, proceeded to ballot for members, when

Mr. Samuel W. Woodhouse, of Philadelphia, was duly elected.

Stated Meeting, Dec. 2, 1845.

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON in the Chair.

DONATIONS TO MUSEUM.

A series of fifteen artificial discoidal stones, varying in diameter from $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 inches, from the mounds in the vicinity of Camden, S. C. Collected by Dr. William Blanding, and deposited by Dr. Morton.

Specimen of native copper and native silver in Trap Rock, from Eagle river, south shore of Lake Superior. From Theodore Titus, Esq.

Black oxide in green carbonate of copper, in the conglomerate rock of Copper harbor, south shore of Lake Superior. From H. A. De France, Esq.

DONATIONS TO LIBRARY.

Review of the New York Geological reports. By David Dale Owen, M. D. From the Author.

The Hawaiian Spectator. Vols. 1 and 2; 8vo. Honolulu, Oahu, Sandwich Islands, 1838 and 1839. From Mr. Wm. Gambel.

Magnetical and meteorological observations, made at Washington, under orders of the Secretary of the Navy, dated Aug. 13, 1845. By Lieut. J. M. Gilliss, U. S. N. pp. 648. Washington, 1845. From Lieut. Gilliss.

The History of the Institution, design, and progress of the Royal Society of London. 8vo. From Jacob Tremper, Esq.

Communications were read—

From Mr. Tremper, presenting the above work.

From Mr. Henry Wheatland, dated Salem, Mass., Nov. 10, 1845, requesting on behalf of the Essex Co. Natural History Society of that State, the transmission of the Nos. of the Proceedings of the Academy as they may be published.

From Mr. C. B. Adams, of Middlebury, Vermont, dated Nov. 20, 1845, asking for late Nos. of the Proceedings containing descriptions of N. American Coleoptera.

Stated Meeting, Dec. 16, 1845.

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON in the Chair.

DONATIONS TO LIBRARY.

Boston Journal of Natural History, Vol. v. No. 2. Boston, 1845. From the Boston Society of Natural History.

Report of the Commissioners to examine the sources whence a supply of pure water may be obtained for the city of Boston. Boston, 1845. From Prof. Johnson.

Also charts of Long Pond and Spot Pond, surveyed under the direction of John B. Jervis, C. E., and Prof. Walter R. Johnson, Commissioners. From the same.

Maps of the vicinity of Boston, showing the sources of water for supplying the city. From the same.